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View Street,
VICTORIA, B. C.

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New Advertisements.

PROCLAMATION.

[L. S.] JOSEPH W. TRUTH.

CANADA.

PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the

United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ire-

land, Queen, Defender of the Faith, &c.,

&c., &c.

To all whom these presents shall come.

GREETING.

A PROCLAMATION.

GEO. A. WALKER, V. HERRAS under and

Attorney-General, by virtue of "The

Breeding Stock Act, 1872," the Lieutenant-

Governor in Council is empowered to di-

vide the Province into Districts for the pur-

poses of the said Act:

And whereas it is provided that the said

Act shall not apply to any District unless

upon an application being made to the Lieut-

enant-Governor in Council as therein men-

tioned:

And whereas such application has been made

by the Settlers of Comox District that the

same may be subject to the provisions under

said Act:

NOW KNOW YE that under and by virtue

of the authority contained in "The Breeding

Stock Act, 1872," the Lieutenant-Governor

in Council directs that the Comox District

be a District for the purposes of the said Act;

and the Lieutenant-Governor hereby declares

that the said District shall be subject to the

provisions of the said Act, commencing on the

first day of May, 1873.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused

these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the

Great Seal of Our said Province to be here-

unto affixed: Witness, the Honourable Joseph

William Trutch, Lieutenant-Governor of Our

said Province of British Columbia, in the

City of Victoria, this Eighteenth day of April

in the year of Our Lord One thousand and

eight hundred and seventy-three, and in the

sixth year of Our Reign.

By Command.

JOHN ASH, Provincial Secretary.

PILOT BOARD NOTICES.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the

Pilot Board have elected Captain J. A.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

WELCH, RITHE & CO.

Offer for sale the following Goods in lots to Suit

Purchasers:

Groceries & Provisions.

SUGAR—Various Grades of Sandwich Islands from

the Princeville, Spencer, Naalehu, Oahu and

Waikiki Plantations, including Extra No. 1

Ordinary do. and Nos. 2 and 3.

TEA—(New Crop) Congou, Camell, Brand, Souchong

do. Scented Orange Pekoe, Oolong, Pouchong,

Japan in 10 lb boxes.

COFFEE—Java and Costa Rica.

RICE—1st and 2nd quality of S. I.

WHEAT—Oregon City Mills XXX, Baker's Extra;

Willamette, Superior; Extra, Starr, California.

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Miscellaneous Advertisements.

JANION, RHODES & CO.

Have on hand a Large Stock of

DRY GOODS

Received per Late Arrivals

Consisting in part of:

WHITE SHIRTINGS & LONG-

CLOTHS, assorted widths and

qualities.

PRINTS—New Patterns.

GREY DRILLING, assorted quali-

ties.

GREY CALICO, assorted qualities

and widths.

COTTON TICKING,

STRIPED DRILLINGS,

RUSSIA SHEETING—cream and

white.

WHITE MARSEILLES & TOILET

QUILTS, White and Colored

Counterpanes and Alhambras,

LINEN DAMASK,

TABLE CLOTHS & NAPKINS,

of Extra Quality.

CAMBRIC HANDKERCHIEFS,

Ladies' and Gentlemen's,

LINEN TOWELS—Huckaback &

Turkish.

BALMORAL SKIRTS—A large

variety of Printed Cotton, and

Embroidered and Colored Wool

Skirts.

WOOL SHAWLS—A large assort-

ment of Sizes and qualities.

WOOLEN TARTAN PLAIDS,

Assorted Patterns.

WINDOW HOLLANDS, assorted

Widths and Colors.

OVERSHIRTS—A very large as-

sortment of desirable goods, in-

cluding Heavy Tweed, Melton,

Witney and Sagathy Shirts,

CRIMEAN SHIRTS, New Pat-

terns, assorted qualities.

WHITE SHIRTS—Men's, Boys'

and Youths.

LINEN COLLARS, a great variety

MEN'S DRAB MOLE PANTS,

MEN'S WHITE MOLE PANTS,

MEN'S BLUE BEAVER & PILOT

PANTS,

Miscellaneous Advertisements.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

SEALED TENDERS endorsed "Tender

for keeping sections of Clinton-Alx-

andra, Alexandra and Cameron road in

repair," will be received by the undersigned

up to the 15th of May next, for keeping the

following sections of said road in repair, for

one year from the 25th May, 1873, or the

date of the Execution of contract.

Section No. 1—Lillooet to 47-mile post, Lil-

loet-Alexandra road.

Section No. 2—47-mile post to 100-mile post,

Alexandra road.

Section No. 3—100-mile post to 177-mile

post, Alexandra road.

Section No. 4—177-mile post to Quesselle-

mouth.

Section No. 5—Quesselle-mouth to Camer-

on.

Specifications can be seen at the Lands and

Works Office, Victoria; the office, Govern-

ment Agent, New Westminster; the office,

Government Agent, Yale; office Thos. R. R. R.,

Eq., Lytton; office Charles Pope, Esq.,

Clinton; R. M. Leese, Esq., Soda Creek;

Government Agency, Lillooet; Post Office,

Quessellemouth; office John Brown, Esq.,

Richfield.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily

accepted.

With each tender must be enclosed the

names of two responsible persons willing to

give security for the due completion of the

work to the amount of \$200 for section No. 1;

\$200 for section No. 2; \$200 for section No. 3;

\$200 for section No. 4; \$1000 for section

No. 5.

ROBERT BEAVEN,

Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works,

Lands and Works Department,

April 14, 1873.

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PUBLIC NOTICE.

SEALED TENDERS endorsed "Tender for

Repairs, Saanich Road," will be received by

the undersigned up to noon of Saturday,

the 26th instant, for travelling certain por-

tions of the Saanich Road between Swan

Lake and Victoria.

Specifications can be seen at this office.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily

Grant for Indians Queen's Birthday Celebration.

EDITOR STANDARD:—I noticed in your daily of the 27th of April a few remarks taken from the *Parish Magazine* in relation to the Dominion Grant for Indian purposes, the truth of which is too plain to be contradicted. The practice of calling the Indians together at New Westminster from a distance of one hundred miles, and often greater, at a season of the year when they should be fencing and planting their grounds, and preparing for the coming winter, and throwing away hundreds of dollars on them in the way of a few biscuits and a few spoonfuls of molasses each, is surely one that will not recommend itself to those who feel an interest in the welfare of the Indians. While on the other hand, the taking of such a large sum of money from the Province, and the expenditure of it in such a manner, is surely one that will not recommend itself to those who feel an interest in the welfare of the Province. I have allowed me to forward to you for your kind consideration, are left entirely unassisted.

ST. JOHN'S PARSONAGE, YALE, B. C.,
March 29th, 1873.

To Jas. Robinson, Esq., M.P.P.

My Dear Sir:—I submit a report of our present school and the future plan of the Institution or Orphanage I named to you.

On arriving at this Mission in 1867 I soon found that if we were successfully to break down the stronghold of superstition and ignorance it must be by not only imparting religious truths orally to the Indian adults who seemed glad to have the opportunity of listening to them, but chiefly by instructing the young; hence my next endeavor was to commence a school for as many as would avail themselves of the opportunity of attending. Having no building for that purpose I turned a room in the Parsonage into a school room, although their uncleanly habits were not being clean in their dress or person, somewhat affected the purity of the atmosphere, consequently my health began to suffer. The current expense to a great extent devolved on myself. The St. John's Church built for a white congregation, not being convenient for Indian use, I had to seek aid towards the building of a chapel and school for Indians. In 1869 the said building was erected on a prominent site near the Indian reserve, and has hitherto proved very useful in accommodating large congregations of attentive listeners, as well as serving as a day school for Indian children. It has been a great struggle on my part to defray current expenses; the assistance received has been chiefly rendered by Christian friends in England; the Government of this Province, being to give the slightest assistance in the education or moral welfare of Indians. At one time the Bishop made a grant to the Church Fund for the support of ten boys to be selected from various villages, and taught in the various branches of useful knowledge, and a portion of church land at Hope was placed at my service for the benefit of the mission. This was intended to be an industrial farm on which the boys might earn certain hours, and raise their own produce. But the distance from Yale was too great, and the drawback to the success of this undertaking in an industrial point of view, was that the boys progressed very favorably, but for want of funds the grant had to be reduced, consequently at present I have only a day school for as many as will avail themselves of the opportunity. The disbursement of this being, that children are too much subject to home influence, and are apt to attend very irregularly. We need not wonder at their irregularity when a law has to be enacted to compel attendance at the Government school. At first an Indian cannot see the use of learning to read, (and being naturally selfish himself) he is apt to think that one has some selfish motive in trying to persuade him, but after a time he begins to see the use of education, and will apply himself diligently. The school is commenced by singing and prayer, the pupils then proceed to the various studies; reading, writing, arithmetic, natural history, geography, drawing from pictures, music, and general subjects.

I am proposing a plan to the Bishop, and would also submit it to the kind consideration of those gentlemen who control our Indian policy, as well as all friends of education and philanthropy, a subject which has been on my mind some time, but lack of funds has prevented me from bringing it into execution. I am convinced that a noble object could not be set on foot. We have about 200 acres of excellent land extending from the Coquella near Hope; in a most healthy district and a more beautiful and picturesque locality cannot be found in British Columbia. In one corner of this estate, overlooking that rapid and beautiful stream, the Coquella, I propose as the site of an Institution or Orphanage for Indian boys, orphans, and outcasts, where they would be admitted for a certain time; fed, clothed, instructed, and taught in the various branches of industry and trade, afterwards they should be assisted in acquiring a livelihood, and the Institution should be ever after regarded as their home, to which they might return in sickness or distress, and in return for which kindness they might (if able) do service for the good-will of the Institution. I would plant this on a firm liberal basis, and if aid were rendered by the Indian agents, I would be willing to submit to certain regulations, provided that the progress of the Orphanage should not be retarded.

The buildings should consist of a main building containing school room, dormitories, common room, and kitchen, a house for clergyman, (most probably myself) and assistant catechist, hospital, chapel, outbuildings for industrial training, as for instance carpenter's shop, &c. The farm would serve for training in agriculture and stock raising, &c.

About \$1000 should be raised to supply the plant. When a sufficient sum is contributed so as to warrant proceedings, the work will be commenced.

I am persuaded that such an Institution is much needed. No arguments are required to advocate the cause of education for the children of well-to-do parents. Then who is there among us who would refuse help to the destitute, the poor, and the outcast?

I thank you for your kind permission to receive a statement of my plans, and if you can make any use of it in the furtherance of my wishes; you will, I feel confident, be helping a good work. I do not expect to raise the whole of the money required in this Province, but no doubt British Columbia will do its part.

I remain, yours,
Very faithfully,
D. H. H.

You will see by the above letter that Mr. Holmes has not only devoted the most of his time to the service of the Indian, but has borne a great part of the cash expense of finding clothing and schooling, those referred to in his letter. He has been nearly in constant attendance on them in sickness, has supplied them with medicine when necessary, and I can safely say has put forth every effort for their advancement and civilization, at a sacrifice not only of time and money, but often much to the injury of his own health. Surely if it is the wish of the Government to improve the Indians by instructing them in mechanical, agricultural, and other industries thereby enabling them to make their living honestly, and to become useful subjects, such efforts and such enterprises should be assisted, and the result would be beneficial far beyond the money value of the education. As by the fact being made known to the Indians that the Government not only approve of such a course, but were aiding in the inauguration and maintenance it would double their confidence in their instruction and their interest in their studies, therefore feeling confident that the highly esteemed

gentleman, in whose hands the welfare of the Indians now rests, will kindly notice any effort of any person to assist in instructing and civilizing the Indians, and will render any assistance in his power on that behalf. I have the honor, to be, your obt. servant,
JAMES ROBINSON.

YALE, B. C., April 10th, 1873.

[Note.—We have great pleasure in giving place to the above communication. It certainly does look anything but the correct method of dealing with the natives to squander money, appropriated by the Dominion Government, for their moral and social improvement, in frivolous amusements calculated only to engender habits of dissipation and idleness, when there are so many other and better ways of devoting the money so appropriated for their use and benefit. Surely the work in which Mr. Holmes is engaged deserves both sympathy and encouragement at the hands of the Government, and to throw away five hundred dollars in a grand carousal at New Westminster, for the Queen's birthday, while the Indian mission at Yale is languishing for want of material aid, looks very much like a sad misconception of the true intent and object of the Government in settling a portion of the public revenue for their use. Mr. Holmes is not the only one, however, engaged in the laudable work of imparting instruction to the natives—labouring to ameliorate their condition and to raise them in the scale of being. Mr. Duncan, at Metakathia, Mr. Tomlinson at Nass, Mr. Tate at Nanaimo, Mr. Crosby at Chilliwack, and also in this city and in New Westminster, are parties engaged in similar works of faith and labors of love in behalf of the natives, and all maintained by contributions from private individuals. If, therefore, the Government Indian fund for this Province is so flush that five hundred dollars can be spared for indulgence in sports of a character that can redound in no substantial good to those who engage in them, is it too much to claim a share of these funds to meet the expenses necessary to keep the institutions above referred to, in successful operation, the tendency and aim of which is to elevate the natives, improve them mentally and morally, and to transform them from a state of abject heathenism to good and useful citizens? We submit this question to the proper authorities for their careful consideration.—ED. STANDARD.]

New Advertisements.

Notice—Sale Postponed.

THE SALE ADVERTISED TO TAKE place at the Willow Hotel to-day is hereby postponed until further notice, PLUMMER & PAGDEN, Auctioneers.

Victoria, B. C., April 28th, 1873. ap28

Came to Hillside.

A DARK BAY HORSE BRANDED "H" on the left forehead; white star on the forehead. The owner here the owner by applying at Hillside and paying expenses. If not claimed within ten days will be sold by Public Auction. ap28 10c

Notice to Builders.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED AT my office on Kaslo street, where Plans and Specifications may be seen until 4 P.M., on Saturday next for the erection of a Brick Building on Store street.

THOS. THOUNCE, Architect. ap28

For San Francisco Direct.

THE STEAMER PRINCE ALFRED, CAPTAIN..... SHULL, Will sail from Brock's Wharf at 5 P.M. and the outer harbor at 8 P.M. on Monday, April 29th. For Freight or Passage apply to R. BRODRICK & CO., ap28 Wharf street.

For Victoria Direct.

FRIGHT AT REDUCED RATES: The A 1 Clipper Brig "UNDINE" PHILIPS..... MASTER, Will commence receiving freight at Market Street wharf on May 1st, 1873, and will positively clear for the above port on May 1st, 1873. Fall or not fall. For Freight or Passage apply to COHILL & HARRISON, 218 Front St., cor. Commercial, San Francisco. Or to J. P. DAVIES & CO., Wharf Street. ap28

A FREE LECTURE!

PROF. O. S. FOWLER, OF NEW YORK AND BOSTON, WILL Deliver a Lecture on MONDAY EVENING, APRIL 28, at THEATRE ROYAL, ON Life, Health and Phrenology.

On TUESDAY EVENING, ON Self & Juvenile Culture, Memory & Education. Seats, 50 cents in Dress Circle; Pit 25 cts.

On WEDNESDAY EVENING, LOVE, COURTSHIP AND MARRIAGE. Seats as above.

Consultations as to your own and children's Phrenology, best business culture, &c., at the Colonial Hotel till Thursday night. ap28

VICTORIA WATER WORKS.

UNDER AUTHORITY OF THE CORPORATION OF VICTORIA WATER WORKS, 1873, the Municipal By-Law authorizing the construction of Water Works for the City of Victoria, 1873.

Applications will be received at the office of the undersigned until the 10th day of May, for Water Works Debentures, and should application be made for more in amount than the issue authorized by the Act, they will be distributed pro-rata.

The Debentures will be issued at par, as follows, viz.: \$10,000.....On 15th MAY, 1873; 10,000.....On 1st AUGUST, 1873; 10,000.....On 1st APRIL, 1874; Payable in twenty-five years from date thereof.

The Corporation of the City of Victoria having the right to repurchase from time to time, the said Debentures for the purpose of withdrawing the same from the market, the numbers of the Debentures so to be repurchased, shall be decided by ballot, of which one month's notice shall be given, by publication in the Government Gazette, or in one or more of the local newspapers. The Debentures will bear interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum, payable half yearly, and coupons will be attached to each Debenture for said interest, which shall be paid on presentation as they become due.

The security offered for repayment of Debentures is as follows, viz.:—A preferential lien will be given on all works to be erected also upon land and other property acquired for Water Works purposes, and on the revenue accruing to about \$50,000 per annum, which the Corporation have the power to raise under the Municipality Act, 1872, and the Municipality Act Amendment Act, 1873, the Road Ordinance, 1860, and the Road Amendment Ordinance, 1870. Ample security is thus given to those wishing to invest in Debentures.

A deposit of Ten per cent. on the amount of Debentures applied for, will require to be paid into the Bank of British North America to the credit of the Water Works account, a receipt for said deposit to accompany the application, and on the Debentures being issued, they will be placed in the said Bank, and handed over to the party who presents the Water Commission's certificate of his being entitled to receive the said Debentures, and in the event of the Debentures not being fully paid for on the day of issue above mentioned, the deposit of Ten per cent. shall be forfeited to the use of the Water Commission for Water Works purposes.

Mr. F. W. Green, C.E., has been appointed by the Corporation as Engineer of the Works to be constructed. The proposed works consist in bringing water from Elk and Beaver Lakes into the City of Victoria, a distance of between five and six miles, and present no engineering difficulties in carrying out the undertaking.

Forms of application for Debentures with Bank deposit receipt attached, as well as any further information that may be desired, can be had by application personally, or by letter addressed to the undersigned.

JAMES D. ROBINSON, Commissioner. City Council Chambers, Broad street, Victoria. 28th April, 1873. ap28

New Advertisements.

AUCTION

SALE OF

WHALEBOATS & WHALING

GEAR.

PLUMMER & PAGDEN

Are instructed to sell on Sprout & Co's

Wharf, on

Thursday, May 1, 1873.

AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.

1 Whaleboat, Lot Ropes, Blocks and

Tackles, Oars, Masts, Sails, Lances,

3 Whale Oil Try Pots and other

Gear, &c., &c.

PLUMMER & PAGDEN,

Auctioneers.

AUCTION

SALE OF

Household Furniture

and Effects.

PLUMMER & PAGDEN

Are instructed to sell at the Residence of

MRS. TURNER, Douglas Street,

near Fort Street, on

Wednesday, April 30th,

AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.

The whole of the Furniture and Effects,

Comprising—Dining-room, Draw-

ing-room and Bed-room Furniture,

Horse Hair Chairs and Sofa, Walnut

Bedsteads,

Kitchen Stove, &c.

PLUMMER & PAGDEN,

Auctioneers.

Trade Credit Sale.

—OF—

SPRING GOODS.

Wednesday, April 30th

AT 10½ O'CLOCK, A. M.

By imperative orders for account of

Hepper Manufacturing Co.

15 pcs Fine Alpaca Lustres.

This will be the last lot this season of

these desirable Goods.

ALSO—8 fine new Sewing Machines,

about 200 yards of Cotton Cloth, Under-

clothing (ladies'), a variety of Tickings

Cassimeres, Waterproofs, Table Linens,

Towels, Napkins, Prints, Winceys, Shir-

tings, Sheetings, Flannels, Hose, Under-

clothing, Dress Shirts, Fancy do,

Carpeting, Skirts, Corsets, Blankets,

Rugs, Clothing (Canadian and English)

and a variety of

General Merchandise

ap28 J. C. TRACY, Auctioneer.

NAVAL SALE.

J. P. DAVIES & CO

Have been instructed by

T. SIDNEY DOBBIN,

Esq., Acting Storekeeper,

To sell by Public Auction, at H. M.

Naval Yard, Esquimalt, on

Tuesday, 6th May,

AT 12 O'CLOCK, NOON.

Per Order of the Senior

Naval Officer.

VICTUALLING

11 tierces Salt Beef, 3304 lbs, and the

following

Condemed Stores:

4550 lbs. Biscuit,

645 lbs. Biscuit Dust,

500 Biscuit Bags,

Lot Implements and Mess Traps.

MEDICAL,

Horsehair Brds, Bottles, Sandries,

Medicine Chest.

ALSO

A large Boat and a quantity of Tools

of various descriptions, which have been

used at the Camp at San Juan.

In addition to the prices paid for

the Goods the buyers will have to pay

the Custom duties on the same to the

Auctioneers.

ap28 J. P. DAVIES & CO., Auctioneers.

New Advertisements.

GREAT BARGAINS!

15 PER CENT. DUTY SAVED!

In Canadian Custom-Made Clothing, (Men's and Boys' Sizes)

In " Hand Knit Socks.

In " Harness and Saddlery.

In " Butter, No. 1 Quality.

In " Tobacco, Myrtle Navy Brand.

In " Gardner's Celebrated Sewing Machines.

The above Goods have been selected for the British Columbia Market by myself personally,

during my visit in Canada. I can confidently recommend them as the Proper Thing.

They will be sold in lots to suit the purchaser, at a small advance on cost.

J. H. TODD,

Yates Street, near Wharf,

Victoria, B. C., April, 1873. ap17

Public Notice.

SEALED TENDERS will be received up to 12 o'clock noon, on Monday, the 29th inst., for the construction of the Temporary Plank Sidewalk, and repairs to certain Government Buildings in Victoria.

Specifications can be seen at the Lands and Works Office, between the hours of 10 a.m. and 4 p.m. daily.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Tenders to be addressed to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, and superscribed "Tender for Repairs of Government Buildings."

ROBERT BEAVER, Chief Commissioner Lands and Works, Lands and Works Office, Victoria, 18th April, 1873. ap19

Public Notice.

SEALED TENDERS endorsed "Tender for Metcosh Road," will be received by the undersigned up to Noon of Tuesday, 5th of May next, for opening a new road in Metcosh District.

Specifications can be seen at Mr. John Parker's, Metcosh, and at this office.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

With each tender must be enclosed the names of two responsible persons willing to give security for the completion of the work to the amount of one-third the contract price.

ROBERT BEAVER, Chief Commissioner Lands and Works, Lands and Works Office, Victoria, April 18, 1873. ap19

Public Notice.

SEALED TENDERS endorsed "Tender for West Saanich Road repairs (North Saanich)," will be received by the undersigned up to Noon of the 2nd May next, for repairing a portion of the West Saanich road.

Specifications can be seen at Robert's Hotel, Nanaimo, and at this office.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

With each tender must be enclosed the names of two responsible persons willing to give security for the completion of the work to the amount of one-half the contract price.

ROBERT BEAVER, Chief Commissioner Lands and Works, Lands and Works Office, Victoria, April 18, 1873. ap19

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The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

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HIS GRACE THE DUKE OF BUCLEUCH AND
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All varieties of goods will be found at my store.
No place more suitable for folks that are poor;
Delay not, but go and get what you want,
Everything I sell, Boot, Hat, Vest, Coat and Pants.
A cheaper store you'll not find I can safely say.
New to ANDEAN'S store depart right away.
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A desirable cottage, tender a price I can deal,
Mattresses, iron tanks, crockery and clocks,
Implements, agricultural, Mechanical and locks,
May fitting shirts, white, red and blue;
Table, top of all kinds and carry comb too.
Yes! ANDEAN'S goods are equalled by few.
Shells, minerals, cutlery, dog-collars, and chains,
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On Government Street my store is to be found,
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Personally Selected for the B. C. Market, Comprising

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These goods have been bought CHEAP, and will
be offered to the Trade at small commission on invoice
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J. H. TODD.
Toronto, Canada, Feb. 26th, 1873. mh2 mdw

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Family Grocer.

HAS ALWAYS ON HAND A GENERAL
Assortment of

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TENDERS

WILL BE RECEIVED at my Office
on Kane street, where Plans and Specifications
may be seen till 12 M., on Monday, the 26th, for Re-
pairs to Mr. Rhodes' Wharf, Store street.

THOS. THOUNCE, Architect.
Victoria, V. I., 14th April, 1873. ap16

Department of Marine & Fisheries

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the
steamer Sir James Douglas will be taken off the
route on the 22nd inst. for one or two weeks on and
after the 22nd inst.

JAMES COOPER, Agent.
Victoria, B. C., April 16, 1873. ap16

S. L. KELLY

TIN & STOVE DEALER, Opposite Wells,
Barnard & Co., Yates street.

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Miscellaneous Advertisements.

THE STEAMER VICTORIA

During the ENSUING SUMMER will
leave Sola Creek on Thursdays at noon, as usual,
and on Mondays mornings.
The Underigned, by accommodation and strict atten-
tion to business, do hereby respectfully solicit a con-
tinuance of the patronage hitherto extended to them.
MARVIN & WRIGHT.

Freight per Ton - - \$20

Passengers - - - \$5

CRANT & ARNDT.

Sola Creek, 9th April, 1873. ap16dwt

BARNARD'S EXPRESS

LINE STAGES.

On Monday 7th April

THE FIRST

Regular Weekly Stage

Will be dispatched from Yale, arriving at
Barkerville on Saturday following

PASSENGERS will require to leave
Victoria by Steamer Enterprise, on
Friday of each week, commencing 4th
April next

F. J. BARNARD & CO.

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BOOTS & SHOES

You will find it at

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CHEAP FOR CASH

CONSTANTLY ON HAND a large assort-
ment of the best work from our local factories
MADE ESPECIALLY FOR HIM.

The Very Best Class of Custom Boots &
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Country Orders promptly attended to.
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The above establishment is Conducted by

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BOARD, per WEEK - - - \$5 00

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THE BEST QUALITY OF

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ALL KINDS OF LEATHER,

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TWO YOKES OF LARGE WORK OXEN,
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For particulars apply to

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A FARM IN SOKE DISTRICT,
containing about 250 acres, with house and out-
buildings thereon.

About 50 head of stock, now on the farm, also for
sale. Apply to

J. C. MESSON.

Books.

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Bastion street, Victoria.

Or to

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Notice.

DURING MY TEMPORARY ABSENCE
Mr. Thomas Earl and Mr. Leopold Blum hold
my joint Power of Attorney. As at present my health
prevents my attending to Piper's Estate, I have with-
drawn from the position of Assignee.

JULES RUEFF.
Victoria, April 3, 1873. ap16

Grains For Sale.

APPLY AT THE LION BREWERY, or
at the office, Wharf street.

STUART & KEAT.

Farm For Sale.

TO BE SOLD, A DESIRABLE FARM
at Cowichan, comprising 100 acres of good land,
5 miles from the Steamboat Landing, with frame dwell-
ing house, barn buildings, crops and implements.
A large proportion of the purchase money may remain
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Apply to

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IN A SMALL FAMILY, A GIRL ABOUT
16 years of age to assist in general house work.
Apply at the

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PRIMITIVE COLOR

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It is free of injurious substances, and may be applied
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The two favorite perfumes, distilled from the flowers
of the Ylangylang (cassia odorata). Their fragrance
is unequalled by anything hitherto known; they impart
to the hands and the face the most delicate perfume; it also
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ous extracts. Purchasers must be careful to refuse all bottles
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KANANGA.

A New Japanese Perfume.
The fashionable perfume, obtained from the flowers of the
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RIGAUD'S TOLUTINE.

An admirable toilet fluid. An agreeable substitute for
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MIRANDA OIL

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Possesses the most delightful and persistent fragrance,
and imparts to the skin a velvety softness. Being en-
tirely free from any inconvenience of the vari-
ous powders, which frequently contain acids injurious to
the texture of the skin.

A single trial will prove that it contains every desirable
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RIGAUD'S DENTORINE.

A dentifrice of unequalled virtues. Sweetens
the breath, strengthens the gums, and preserves the
teeth from decay.

SOLIDIFIED DENTIFRICE CREAM.

This new, elegant, and delightful preparation imparts
a dazzling whiteness to the teeth, hardens the gums,
and is entirely free from any inconvenience of the vari-
ous powders, which frequently contain acids injurious to
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GENUINE YLANGYLANG PREPARATIONS

Soap, Pomade, Toilet Water,
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GENUINE JAPANESE POWDER FOR THE
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Superior to all other rice powders.

For Sale at Wholesale and Retail by their
Agents for British Columbia.

LANGLEY & CO.,

Yates Street, VICTORIA.

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APPOINTMENTS.

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
19th April, 1873.

HIS Excellency the LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR

has been pleased to appoint the following

gentlemen to be Returning Officers for the

several Electoral Districts of the Province

under and to carry out the provisions of

"The Members' Indemnity Act, 1873:"

Cariboo, JAMES LINDAY, Esq.

Lillooet, A. W. SMITH, Esq.

Kootenay, CORNELIUS BOOTH, Esq.

Yale, Wm. TRACUS, Esq.

New Westminster City and District, H. V.

Edmonds, Esq.

By Command, JOHN ASH,

Provincial Secretary.

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19th April, 1873.

HIS Excellency the LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR

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gentlemen to be Registrars of certain

Electoral Districts, under and to carry out the

provisions of "The Qualification and Regis-

tration of Voters Act, 1871."

Cariboo, JOHN BOWMAN, Esq.

Kootenay, CORNELIUS BOOTH, Esq.

Lillooet, A. W. SMITH, Esq.

New Westminster City and District, H. V.

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lowing appointments:-

BENJAMIN DOUGLAS, and ROBERT B. McMIC-

KEG, Esqs. of Yale, to be Coroners, for the

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C. BOOTH, Esq., of Kootenay, to be Corone

for the Electoral District of Kootenay.

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A GOOD FARM OF 600 ACRES, ALL
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SEVEN HEAD OF LIVE STOCK.

Apply to

J. PHILLIPS,
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Pilot Board Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the
Pilot License granted to Alexander McKinnon, on
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further notice.

By order of the, PILOT BOARD.

CHARLES GOOD, Chairman. ap16

NOTICE.

STEAMER ENTERPRISE

WILL LEAVE THE HUDSON'S
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THE WELL BUILT SCHOONER
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120 Tons Burthen, Coppered and Copper fastened.
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